

THE LORD'S DAY

January 1, 2023

THE RESURRECTION GREETING AND RESPONSE

Pastor: Peace be with you.

People: And also with you.

THE WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

† THE CALL TO WORSHIP¹

Psalm 32:1-2;6a, 11

Pastor: Blessed is the one whose transgressions are forgiven

People: **Whose sins are covered.**

Pastor: Blessed is the one whose sin the Lord does not count against them

People: **And in whose spirit is no deceit.**

Pastor: Therefore let all the faithful pray to you

People: **While you may be found.**

Pastor: Rejoice in the Lord and be glad, you righteous

People: **Sing, all you who are upright in heart!**

† INVOCATION

† THE SONG OF PRAISE

GLORIOUS AND MIGHTY²

Majesty, Your glory is shining

Brighter than the moon and the stars

Marveling we honor and fear You above all Gods

Chorus: Glorious and mighty! You're awesome in beauty

Joyful songs we raise

Glorious and mighty! You're awesome in beauty

Greatly to be praised

Majesty You fashioned the heavens

Your decrees can never be changed

Over all the plans of the nations your judgements reign

Majesty we'll sing with creation

When You come again in the clouds

Every knee will bow down and worship the one true God

† THE HYMN OF PRAISE # 295

CROWN HIM WITH MANY CROWNS

GOD CLEANSSES US

THE PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Psalm 38:1-22

Father, my guilt has overwhelmed me like a burden too heavy to bear. My wounds fester and are loathsome because of my sinful folly. I am feeble and utterly crushed; I groan in anguish of heart. All my longings lie open before you. My heart pounds, my strength fails me; even the light has gone from my eyes. I wait for you; you will answer. I confess my iniquity; I am troubled by my sin. Do not forsake me and be not far from me. Come quickly to help me, O Lord my Savior.

THE PROMISE OF FORGIVENESS

1 Peter 1:18-21

For you know that it was not with perishable things such as silver or gold that you were redeemed from the empty way of life handed down to you from your forefathers, but with the precious blood of Christ, a lamb without blemish or defect. Through him you believe in God, who raised him from the dead and glorified him, and so your faith and hope are in God.

¹† Denotes congregation stands.

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GOD CONSECRATES US

THE TITHES AND OFFERINGS

† THE HYMN OF PRAISE # 585

TAKE MY LIFE, AND LET IT BE

† THE GLORIA PATRI #735

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost;
As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be,
World without end. Amen. Amen.

THE PASTORAL PRAYER

† THE READING OF SCRIPTURE

Ezekiel 1:1-3

Reader: The Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

THE PREACHING OF SCRIPTURE

Pastor Jeff Hamling

WHY YOU NEED A STRANGE, SOCIALLY AWKWARD, HOMELESS
PROPHET IN YOUR LIFE

GOD COMMUNES WITH US

THE SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

THE SONG OF MEDITATION

GOD COMMISSIONS US

† THE SONG OF PRAISE

PSALM 130³

From the depths of woe I raise to Thee, the voice of lamentation;
Lord, turn a gracious ear to me, and hear my supplication;
If Thou iniquities did mark, our secret sins and misdeeds dark,
O who shall stand before Thee? (Who shall stand before Thee?) (*repeat*)

To wash away the crimson stain, Grace, grace alone availeth;
Our works, alas! are all in vain; in much the best life faileth;
No man can glory in Thy sight, all must alike confess Thy might,
And live alone by mercy (Live alone by mercy) (*repeat*)

Therefore my trust is in the Lord, and not in mine own merit;
On Him my soul shall rest, His word upholds my fainting spirit;
His promised mercy is my fort, my comfort and my sweet support;
I wait for it with patience (Wait for it with patience) (*repeat*)

Though great our sins and sore our woes, His grace much more aboundeth;
His helping love no limit knows, our upmost need it soundeth.
Our Shepherd good and true is He, Who will at last His people free
From all their sin and sorrow (All their sin and sorrow) (*repeat*)

† THE BENEDICTION

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